



Jay Caniford Athletic Scholarship

Presented by:

Brunswick Junior Railroaders Boosters, Inc.

Football

Lacrosse

Cheer

The Jay Caniford Athletic Scholarship is being offered by the **Brunswick Junior Railroaders Boosters** organization. It is presented as an honor to student athletes who have shown good sportsmanship, leadership, and a passion for excellence through sports and academics.

A \$500.00 scholarship will be awarded to one male and one female Brunswick High School student athlete that meet the requirements of the scholarship. BJR reserves the right to award no scholarship(s) in the event the candidates do not meet the qualifications or there are no applicants.

Applicant Eligibility Criteria:

1. The applicant must be a Brunswick High School student and be graduating from Brunswick High School the year the application is received.
2. The applicant must have participated in a BJR sponsored program.
3. The applicant must have competed in one season of high school athletics.
4. The applicant must have applied to and been accepted to an institution of higher learning upon graduation.

Application Requirements*:

1. Obtain an application from the Brunswick High School Guidance Department or online at www.bjrathletics.org.
2. All applications must be completed in its entirety and signed by both the student and parent or guardian. Incomplete applications will **not** be considered or reviewed.
3. Provide with the application a minimum of one letter of recommendation from a teacher, administrator, guidance counselor or coach.
4. Provide a copy of the students' official FCPS transcript dated after February 1, 2019.
5. It is the goal and objective of the BJR organization to foster good sportsmanship, honesty, and respect in the youth of the community through athletic competition and related activities. With that in mind, write a short essay explaining how your participation in athletics has developed these characteristics and how they will help you in your future.

* All the *Application Requirements* **must** be met to be eligible for consideration of the scholarship funds.

Application Deadline:

Return the completed application to the Brunswick High School Counseling Office no later than 2:30 pm on April 15, 2019. **Late applications will not be accepted, No Exceptions!**

Review Process:

Applications will be reviewed by a committee appointed by the BJR organization. Committee members will review all applications separately in a “blind” manner, so they have no knowledge of the applicant’s identity beyond the accomplishments listed.

Awarding of Scholarship Funds:

Scholarship recipients will be announced at the BHS awards assembly. Scholarship recipients will receive a letter explaining what must be done to receive the funds. Scholarship funds will be sent directly to the institute of higher education and shall be applied towards tuition cost.

Failure to notify BJR of the address to send funds to, by the date given in the letter, will result in the loss of the award. The award notification letter will be sent to the scholarship recipient by July 1, 2019.

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Scholarship Application

General Information:

Name: _____

FCPS Student ID#: _____

Home Address: _____

Phone Home/Cell: _____

Parent or Guardian Names: _____

Academic Information:

Cumulative GPA (Entered by BHS): Unweighted _____ Weighted _____

Athletic Information:

Indicate all high school sponsored sports that you have participated in while attending Brunswick High School. Indicate the year of participation. If you were a team manager, indicate the sport and season in the space provided below the table.

SPORT	SEASON				SPORT	SEASON			
Baseball	9th	10th	11th	12th	Track (Spring)	9th	10th	11th	12th
Basketball	9th	10th	11th	12th	Track (Winter)	9th	10th	11th	12th
Cheerleading	9th	10th	11th	12th	Swimming & Diving	9th	10th	11th	12th
Cross Country	9th	10th	11th	12th	Volleyball	9th	10th	11th	12th
Field Hockey	9th	10th	11th	12th	Tennis	9th	10th	11th	12th
Football	9th	10th	11th	12th	Lacrosse	9th	10th	11th	12th
Golf	9th	10th	11th	12th	Wrestling	9th	10th	11th	12th
Soccer	9th	10th	11th	12th	Unified Sport	9th	10th	11th	12th
Softball	9th	10th	11th	12th	Other (explain)	9th	10th	11th	12th

Team Manager:

Indicate all BJR sponsored sports that you have participated in and the number of years participated in each.

SPORT	SEASON	SEASONS PARTICIPATED
Football	Flag	
	Mini Pony	
	Pony	
	Junior Varsity	
	Varsity	
Cheerleading	Flag	
	Mini Pony	
	Pony	
	Junior Varsity	
	Varsity	
Lacrosse	U9 (1st/2nd grade)	
	U11 (3rd/4th grade)	
	U13 (5th/6th)	
	U15 (7th/8th)	

List any additional involvement with the BJR program after entering high school.

List any athletic awards and honors you have received in both BJR and high school.

Signature Page:

By signing the application below, I acknowledge the following:

- The information provided on the application is correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I understand that if the information provided is not correct and/or I have intentionally provided false information, I will be ineligible for the scholarship.
- The information on this form is confidential and will only be used by the scholarship committee.
- I meet the criteria provided and should be eligible for the scholarship.
- I understand that my application will not be accepted after the deadline date.
- I understand if I am awarded scholarship funds, it can only be used for tuition.
- I understand if I choose not to attend an institute of higher learning the scholarship money will be returned to Brunswick Junior Railroaders.

***It is highly recommended that the student applicant notes the date, time and the person receiving the application at the Brunswick High School guidance office.*

Printed Name of Applicant: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

